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Re: U.S. Application No. 09/338,063
Filed: June 23, 1999
Title: Monoclonal Antibodies that Bind OCIF
Applicants: Masaaki GOTO *et al.*
Atty. Docket: 16991.005

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO):

1. a Request to Correct Title in PALM;
2. a copy of the Notice of Allowance mailed March 1, 2004, with correction marked in red;
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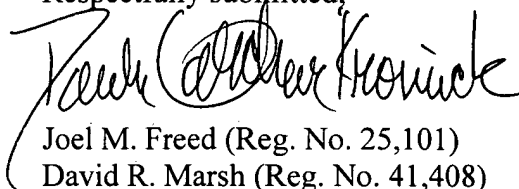
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